PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hidekazu KIMURA, et al. Docket No: Q96083

Application. No.: 10/586,850 Group Art Unit: 1745

Confirmation No.: 3460 Examiner: Angela J. MARTIN

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For: FUEL CARTRIDGE FOR FUEL CELL AND FUEL CELL USING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of October 4, 2007 to February 4, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-4880 for the statutory fee of \$120.00. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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